***RE.* STATEMENT MADE BY THE PRIME MINISTER-CONTD.**

प्रो. राम देव भंडारी : उपसभापति जी ...(**व्यवधान**)...

DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI: Sir, this is much more important issue. ...*(Interruptions)*...

श्री उपसभापति : पेपर्स ले करने दीजिए ...(**व्यवधान**)... We will take Papers laid on the Table first ...*(Interruptions)*... पेपर्स ले तो करने दीजिए ...(**व्यवधान**)...

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Report (2002-03) of the National Commission for Minorities and related papers

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (SHRI A. R. ANTULAY): Sir, I lay on the Table:—

(i) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under section 13 of the National Commission for Minorities Act, 1992:—

(a) Tenth Annual Report of the National Commission for Minorities, for the year 2002-2003.

(b) Review by Government on the Working of the above Commission.

(c) Action Taken Memorandum on the Recommendations contained in the above Report.

(ii) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (I) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT 5221/06] .

(Interruption)...

I.Notifications of the Ministry of Power

II. Report and Accounts (2005-06) of the North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Ltd., Shillong and related papers.

III. Report and Accounts (2005-06) of the Tehri Hydro Development Corporation Ltd., Tehri and related papers.

IV. Report and Accounts (2004-05) of the Damodar Valleys Corporation, Kolkata and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SHINDE): Sir, I lay on the Table:

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Power under section 179 of the Electricity Act, 2003:

(1) No. 502/70/CEA/DP&D dated the 22nd March, publishing the Central Electricity Authority (Installation and Operation of Meters) Regulations, 2006, together with delay statement.

(2) G.S.R. 480 (E) dated the 14th August, 2006, publishing the Joint Electricity Regulatory Commission for the States of Manipur and Mizoram (Salaries, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Members Rules, 2006.

(3) No. CEA/5-28 Secy/2006 dated the 22nd August, 2006, publishing the Central Electricity Authority (Procedure for Transaction of Business) Regulations, 2006. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 5238/06]

(4) No. L/68(84)/2006-CERC dated the 28th August, 2006, amending the India Electricity Grid Code. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5239/06]

(5) G.S.R. 537(E) dated the 7th September, 2006, publishing the Appeal to the Appellate Authority (Amendment) Rules, 2006.

(6) G.S.R. 629 (E) dated the 12th October, 2006, publishing the National Load Despatch Centre (Amendment) Rules, 2006.

(7) G.S.R. 667 (E) dated the 26th October, 2006, publishing the Electricity (Amendment) Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5238/06]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:

(a) Thirtieth Annual Report and Accounts of the North Eastern Electric Power Corporation Limited (NEEPCO), Shillong, for the year 2005-2006, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5096/06]

III. (a) Eighteenth Annual Report and Accounts of the Tehri Hydro Development Corporation Limited (THDC), Tehri (Garwal), for the year 2005-06, togetherwith the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation. [Placed in Library. *See* No. L.T. 5240/06]

IV. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (5) of section 45 of the Damodar Valley Corporation Act, 1948:

(a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Damodar Valley Corporation, Kolkata, for the year 2004-05, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Corporation.

(Interruptions)...

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-5098/06]

Notification of the Ministry of Mines

THE MINISTER OF MINES (SHRI SIS RAM OLA): Sir, I lay on the Table:—

(i) A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Mines Notification ' No.G.S.R.691 (E),dated the 4th November,2006, publishing the Offshore Areas Mineral concession rules, 2006, under sub-section 3 of the section 35 of the Offshore Areas Mineral (Development and Regulation) Act, 2002. [Placed in Library. See No. LT-5334/ 06]

(ii). A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Mines Notification No.G.S.R. 438 (E), dated the 21st July, 2006, reserving of area